HON'BLE SHRI G.S.SINGHVI, THE CHIEF JUSTICE
AND
HON'BLE SHRI JUSTICE C.V. NAGARJUNA REDDY

WRIT PETITION No. 6902 OF 2000

Between:

V. Narasimha Reddi and 14 others

…Petitioner

AND

The State of A.P., rep., by its Secretary,
Revenue Department, Secretariat,
Hyderabad and two others

...Respondents

: O R D E R :

Counsel for the petitioner : None
Counsel for the respondents : Government Pleader for Revenue

July 6, 2007

Per G.S.SINGHVI, CJ

In this petition, the petitioners have prayed for striking down Section 47-A of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 as amended by Andhra Pradesh Act No. 8 of 1988. They have further prayed for quashing of communication dated 3-12-1999 vide which respondent No. 3 called upon petitioner No.1 to deposit 50% of the difference of stamp duty as per Market Value Guidelines Register as a condition for making reference.

Since no one has appeared for the petitioners, the writ petition is dismissed in default.

As a sequel to dismissal of the writ petition in default, WPMP No. 9093 of 2000 filed by the petitioner for interim relief is also dismissed.

G.S. SINGHVI, CJ

C.V. NAGARJUNA REDDY, J

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